

Louisiana Health Care Redesign Collaborative

Vision

Health care in Louisiana will be patient-centered, quality-driven, sustainable and accessible to all citizens.

"The right care for the right patient in the right place - the first time."

Collaborative Objectives

- Develop a practical blueprint for an evidence-based, quality driven health care system for the New Orleans region.
- Convert blueprint into a comprehensive system-wide Medicaid Waiver and Medicare Demonstration proposal to HHS for Jefferson, Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard parishes.

Waiver

- Focusing initially on public programs constitutes 51% of all health care dollars spent in Louisiana
 - Currently Medicaid covers over 1 million lives in Louisiana
 - Currently over 850,000 uninsured
 - Currently Medicare covers over 559,000 lives
- Drives improvements across all payer systems

HHS Expectations

- Plan must match the principles that have been laid out and agreed upon by the Collaborative and HHS.
- A new health care system that:
 - Provides a medical home for every resident.
 - Measures and rewards quality.
 - Emphasizes both individual and provider responsibility.
 - Incorporates emergency preparedness.
 - Utilizes electronic medical records.

HHS Support

- Secretary Leavitt is personally committed to working with Louisiana to develop a "model for the nation".
- Secretary Leavitt has assigned staff to work directly with the Collaborative.
- Flexibility within current funding.

LOUISIANA HEALTH CARE REDESIGN COLLABORATIVE

(40 members per HCR 127)

Blueprint Workgroups

Staying Healthy

Getting Better

Living with Illness & Disability

Coping with End of Life

Core Team (Workgroup Chairs)

Support Workgroups

Current State Analysis

Short-term Recovery

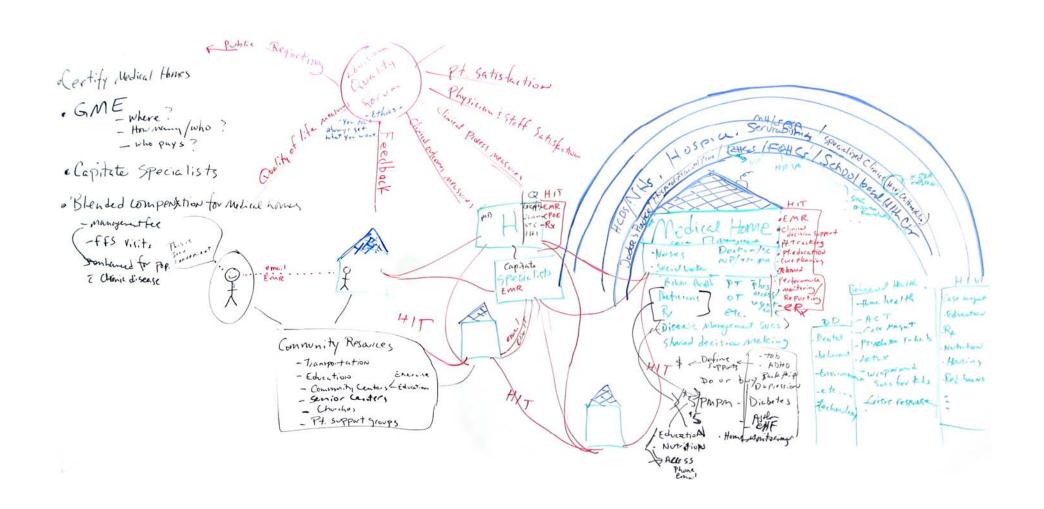
Timeline

- Collaborative Charter Signed
 - July 17th
- Workgroup Interim Reports
 - August 17th
- Interim Report for Blueprint Design Presented to DHHS Secretary Michael O. Leavitt
 - August 23rd
- Initial Recommendations of Technical Assistance Experts for Financing, Health Information Technology and Medical Home Certification
 - September 15th
- Conceptual Design for the Medicaid/Medicare Waiver due to HHS
 - October 20th



Blueprint Interim Reports

- Common Themes
 - Single tier of care based on reliable access and quality
 - Establishment of an accountable "Medical Home"
 - Implementation of health information technology



RightCare for Louisiana's Citizens

Transformational Initiatives

- Medical Home Certification
- Louisiana Quality Forum
- Health Information Technology
- GME and Workforce
- Care coordination for individuals dealing with a terminal illness

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Establishment of an Accountable Medical Home

- Every citizen has a medical home within their neighborhoods or community, supported appropriately by specialists with access to diagnostic, therapeutic and tertiary care services.
- Every citizen will be provided incentives and/or opportunities that enable them to exercise appropriate patient responsibility.
- Every medical home shall provide:
 - » Preventive and primary care services, including behavioral health
 - » Electronic medical records
 - » Patient Tracking
 - » Patient Education
 - » Care Planning and Coordination
 - » Emergency Preparedness Planning

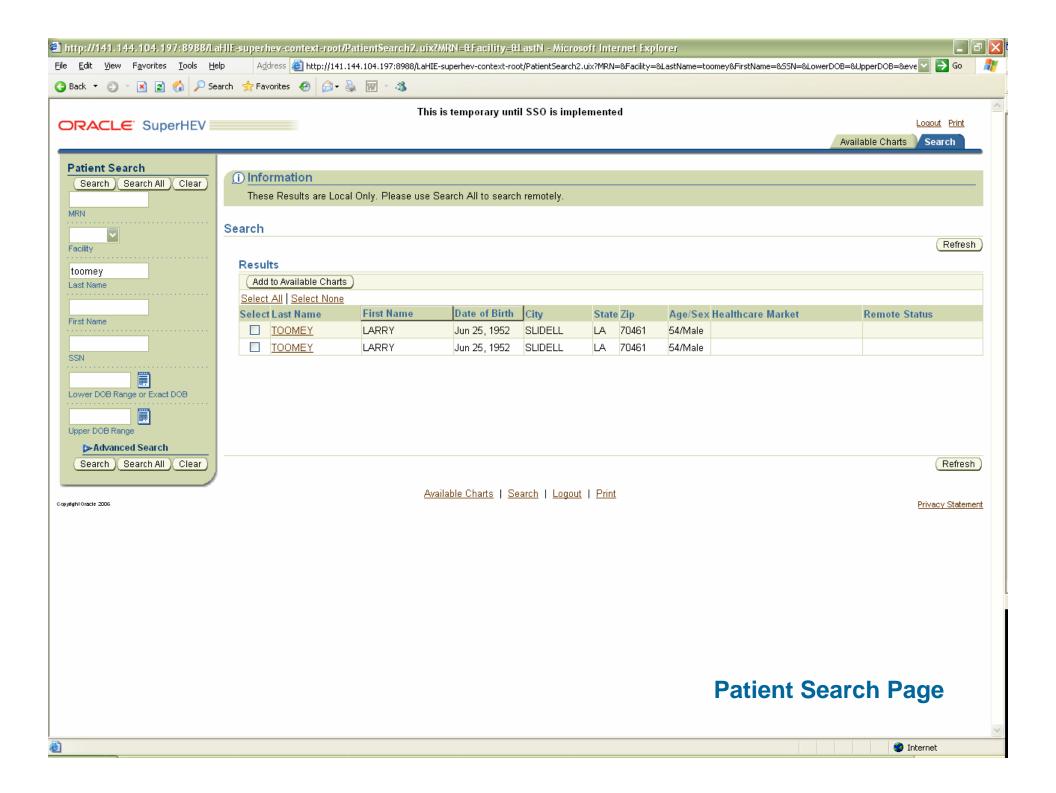
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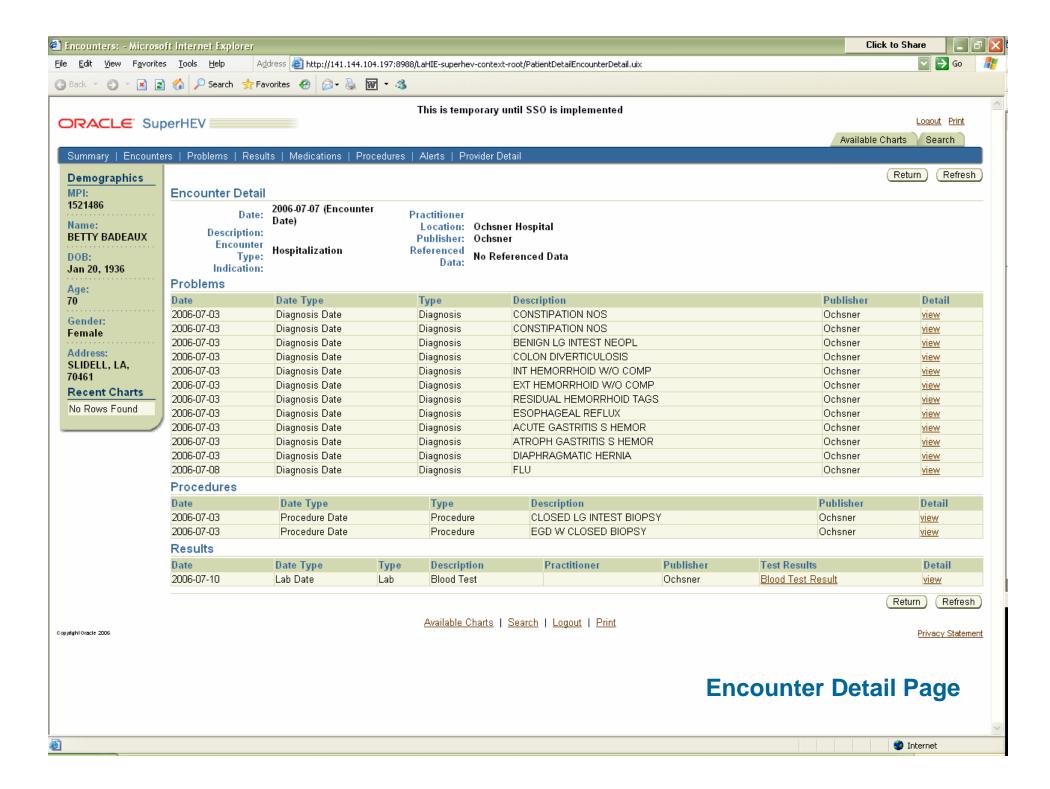
Development and Implementation of a Louisiana Quality Forum

- Every citizen is provided the same level of high quality care through the establishment and monitoring of clinical process and outcome measures, quality of life, patient satisfaction measures, etc.
- Providers are paid extra for providing quality care.
- Performance information is transparent and accessible.

Implementation of Health Information Technology

- Health Care Delivery System shall be supported by interoperable Health Information Technology that includes:
 - » Electronic Medical Records
 - » Computerized Physician Order Entry
 - » E-prescribing
 - » Telemedicine
 - » Tele-monitoring
 - » Patient Portals





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